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CIA Praised: Sen. Milton R. Young, North Dakota Republican, gave Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) agents an acco-



Sen. Young

lade after a tour of CIA posts in 14 countries. "Their work is far more effective than the public generally gives them credit for. Their results. are better than those of the Russian KBG, the Soviet counterpart, even though the Russians have more than twice as many personnel." Senator Young made the

tour as a member of a special Senate subcommittee appointed to examine the CIA's budget. The budget total is kept secret by hiding its components in the budgets of other Federal agencies and departments.